

A few weeks ago James Brittain grubstaked an old prospector and Thursday last he received samples of rock from a discovery that he made in the country near the Moss mine that, when assayed fairly took his breath away. One of the samples gave a return of 707 ounces gold and 515 ounces silver, or about 15,000 per ton. The other sample from a seventeen foot vein gave a return of about 708 to the ton. A party leaves today for the new strike and there is a strong undercurrent of excitement that may develop into a stampede. Sheriff Lovin and Mr. Brittain have gone to the new find and others are preparing to go.

Walter Brown and Jack Poland are working the Old Mariposa mine, in the Wallapai mountains, which was relocated on January 1st by Poland. They have two men besides themselves and have cleaned out and retimbered the 400 foot tunnel, preparatory to taking debris out of a 90 foot winze in this tunnel, where it is supposed good ore was left. The Mariposa was first located in 1878 and has produced a large amount of high grade ore.

G. B. Crowley and G. A. Kempton, of Los Angeles, arrived in Kingman Wednesday last and have gone to Mineral Park, near which place they have been operating a mine in conjunction with S. A. Tyler. The mine is located on the mountain northwest of the C. O. D. mine, the ores from which run well in gold. The owners will do considerable development work on the property this winter.

Walter Hawkins has made several important discoveries of gold in the Gold Road country. He has cut a three foot vein of ore that averages 428 gold to the ton and is free milling. In the same locality he has several other claims that show up equally well. Mr. Hawkins has gone back to the claims and will at once put men to work developing the property.

E. F. Harris, of Alameda, who made an examination of the Burro mine last week returned to Kingman Tuesday last. He was accompanied on the trip by J. C. Ezzell and A. Cornwall. Mr. Harris is much pleased with the property and the chances are very favorable that it will be taken over by a company of California people.

Owing to the coal strike work is progressing but slowly on the C. O. D. mine. As soon as fuel can be had the mine will be unwatered and work extensively carried on. The company operating the property have abundant capital to carry out the contemplated improvements and will put the mine on a paying basis.

Burt Van Deyne and W. G. Blakely returned from the mines of Aubrey last Wednesday evening. They report the mill at Aubrey working satisfactorily and that as soon as a packtrain can be obtained the company will begin working their own ores. Several lots of ore was run through the mill for local miners and the work was most satisfactory.

A. James, who erected the Empire mill in Todd Basin a number of years ago, was in Kingman Wednesday last on his way to examine mines north of the Colorado river, near Griggs Ferry. He will be gone ten days. Mr. James is an old mining man and thoroughly understands his business.

The hills are now full of prospectors and big strikes of mineral are reported daily. Owing to the absence of snow in the high mountain ranges miners and prospectors are enabled to keep at work. In the Blue Ridge range there are more prospectors in search of mineral than since the organization of the county.

Charley Gross, who recently located a mining claim near the old Moss, is preparing to make a shipment of rich ore to the Needles smelter.

The following letters remain dead in the Kingman office: Patrick Driscoll (68); James Colin; James K. Stinchcomb; Pearl Terrill.

George W. Koster came in from the Moss mine country Thursday evening. He reports the mines of that section looking well.

The Sheeptrail mines are now working quite a force of men and ore is being hauled to the mill preparatory to starting up.

James Rosborough, who was in Kingman the first of the week from the Copper Prince, returned to the mine the other day.

#### A Shooting at Bonanza.

Last Sunday morning a shooting occurred at Bonanza Wash, near the head waters of Burro Creek, in which Oliver Johnson was made the recipient of the contents of a double barreled shotgun in the hands of S. C. Mott. The story of the shooting, as told by Johnson, who arrived in Kingman Monday evening, is as follows: Stephen Mott owed him (Johnson) for labor and refused to pay him, alleging that Johnson was instrumental in causing the death of a burro and that the animal was worth the amount due. The men talked the matter over angrily and Johnson asked Mott to come out of his cabin and fight. Mott ordered him away and brought a shotgun into play to enforce a compliance with the demand. As Johnson was getting on his horse, about fifteen feet away Mott fired, the charge of shot cutting across Johnson's stomach and lodging in the left hand. Johnson sprang into the saddle and rode off and when about forty feet away Mott fired the other barrel, the contents lodging in his head and neck. Fearing another shot Johnson rode to the Sandy, twenty-five miles away, where he was cared for by relatives and then taken to Kingman. He is not badly injured, but will have a remembrance of the affair for some time to come. Mott went over to Signal and gave himself up, claiming that the shooting was done in self defence. There were two witnesses to the shooting and they will tell the story at the preliminary examination which will be held some time next week.

John Imus and Miss Sarah Miller were united in marriage Monday, January 7th, 1901, at Fresno, California. The young couple are well and favorably known in this county and especially in Hackberry, where they lived many years. Mrs. Imus is the daughter of Mrs. Peter Miller, of Hackberry, and is one of the brightest and most amiable of young ladies, while Mr. Imus is a well known cattleman. May their married life be as cloudless as an Arizona day. Mr. and Mrs. Imus will in future reside in Los Angeles, from which point Mr. Imus will superintend his cattle interests in Kern county.

Frank I. Otis, brother of Bert Otis, of Kingman, is on his way home from the Philippines, where he has seen much service under Gen. Funston. Mr. Otis has been twice promoted for bravery on the field of battle and Gen. Funston has recommended that he be given a captain's commission. Owing to hard service Lieutenant Otis has been invalided home.

Over 30,000 is a mighty big bill for a small county like Mohave to foot for actual county expense, but this is the sum total as footed up by clerk Feeny this week. If the present board adds its quota to the big treasury deficit this year the county will be more than bankrupt.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Taggart have gone to Needles, where they will take charge of the Needles Hotel. The couple are of the best people of Kingman and our Needles friends will do well to cultivate their acquaintance. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Taggart success in their new home.

M. D. Rocheford, who is operating in Los Angeles, according to the papers of that city, had just completed the final arrangements for a mining deal, when the gentleman from whom the mine was being bought fell dead.

Senator M. G. Burns came in from Chloride Wednesday afternoon and departed the next day for Phenix. Senator Burns is an affable gentleman and we commend him to the good people of Phenix.

Tom Brobant and Henry Laug have just completed the assessment work on the Horn Silver mine in Minnesota mining district. The mine is one of the best properties in that section of the county.

Judge Blakely has gone to Chloride, where he will hold divine service tomorrow at the school house. In consequence there will be no service in the M. E. church tomorrow evening.

Under Sheriff Templeman brought S. C. Mott to Kingman last night. The preliminary examination of Mott for the shooting of Oliver Johnson will be held some time next week.

Ewing & Heimrod have loaded all their ore, selected from the debris, and are preparing to ship it to the smelters. They make quite a losing in weight.

A. I. Richardson, who has been operating a mining property near Union Pass with his brother J. D. Richardson, has gone to Los Angeles to arrange for the installation of a plant on the property. The mine has a big body of fine free milling ore and this will be opened up in shape to furnish sufficient ore to operate a good sized milling plant.

James H. Owen, who has the contract for the construction of the Indian school buildings, near Hackberry, has gone to Los Angeles to get sand for the finish coat on the interior of the buildings, the government specifications requiring pure white sand. There is no white sand in the Hackberry country.

The alley, in which stood the office presided over by Kean St. Charles for the past seven years, presents the appearance that only contamination with that office could cause it to present. It is most filthy in the extreme.

A new postoffice has been established at the Indian school, five miles east of Hackberry, to be known as Truxton. Henry P. Ewing is the postmaster. The new postoffice will have a daily mail each way.

Although Kean St. Charles departed on yesterday's train for Phenix there has been no tilting of the earth in this locality, nor the slightest disturbance of atmospheric conditions.

J. T. Pendegast is having the Lake Hall fitted up in fine shape. He will have a finely appointed stage put in at once and will otherwise remodel the building.

The report that James Stanton had died at the Insane Asylum at Phenix is untrue. Mr. Stanton is improving and the doctors have hopes for his recovery.

Steam was up in the steam heating plant at the Truxton Indian school for the first time Monday last. The school will soon be in running order.

The Misses Minnie and Fannie Sawyer went over to Chloride this morning to attend the ball to be given by the gentlemen of Chloride.

An historical item: The first train to reach Kingman arrived on the evening of Wednesday, March 28th, 1883.

The postal telegraph company is considering a proposition to put in an office at the Truxton Indian school.

Cut this out and take it to Watkin's drugstore and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, the best physic. They also cure disorders of the stomach, biliousness and headache.

#### Beat Out of an Increase of his Pension

A Mexican war veteran and prominent editor writes: "Seeing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, I am reminded that as a soldier in Mexico in '47 and '48, I contracted Mexican diarrhoea and this remedy has kept me from an increase in my pension for on every renewal a dose of it restores me." It is unequalled as a quick cure for diarrhoea and is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by H. H. Watkins.

#### Notice of Stockholders Meeting.

The annual stockholders meeting of the Yucca Cyanide Mining & Milling Co., will be held at Los Angeles, Cal., at the company's office, on the second Thursday in February, (Feb. 14, 1901), at 2 p. m., for purpose of election of directors for the ensuing year, and such other business as may come up for consideration.

YUCCA CYANIDE MINING & MILLING CO.  
A. H. FIXEN, Secy.

#### Notice of Sale of Mining Property.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Probate Court, of the county of Mohave, Territory of Arizona, dated Nov. 9th, 1900, I will sell at private sale the following described mining interests, to-wit:

A one-third (1/3) interest in the Granite State mine, situated near Burro Creek, in Mohave county, Arizona Territory, for further description reference is hereby made to the mining records of Mohave county.

A three-eighths (3/8) interest in the Burro mine, situated near Burro Creek, in Mohave county, Arizona Territory, for further description reference is hereby made to the mining records of Mohave county.

The sale will be made on or after the 31st day of January, 1901, and bids will be rec'd at the Pioneer Drugstore by H. H. Watkins, at Kingman, A. T.

Terms of sale: 10 per cent of purchase price at time of sale in cash; the balance at the time of confirmation of sale by Probate Court.

ADAMSON CORNWALL,  
Administrator of the estate of C. C. Wilson, deceased.

Dated Jan. 19, 1901

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Chloride is on the boom. Times in that camp never were better and the mines are looking well. The Minnesota is working about forty men and is sending several carloads of ore daily to the Merrimac mill, where it is put into a shipping product. A carload of the concentrates went out to the smelter this week. On the Elkhart there are fifteen men at work putting the mine in shape for the larger force that is to be put on within a few weeks. The Schuykill is working a force of men and will be a steady shipper hereafter. At the Empire the ledge will be cut within a few feet and then the mine will begin shipping. The Mollie Gibson is getting the best grade of lead ore to be found in that camp and lots of it. It is being worked under the superintendency of L. Harris. All the other mines are showing great activity and this winter promises great things for that whole section.

Low Frank, who made an examination of the Hillside mine a few weeks ago, loaded a Denver Republican reporter up with a coarse gold story from the mouth of the Grand Canyon. He said he had been out to the Canyon and met an old man coming in. On invitation the man got in the wagon with him and then unfolded a story of the great riches he had unearthed in the rocky bluffs. He said that he had found a small ledge from which he had taken 18,000 in nuggets with the use of a stick. He had nothing to carry the nuggets to town in and cut off the legs of his overalls to make sacks. Frank's imagination is all right, but his story is slightly off color. It was a sack of diamonds the man found.

J. A. Tarr, the photographer, made some excellent views of the town of Chloride and the surrounding mountains for the MINER. The views were taken by the long distance lenses now used in taking landscape views. The views will appear in this paper in the form of half tones as soon as the plates can be made.

Rev. W. G. Blakely will hold services Sunday in Chloride.

#### A Prominent Chicago Woman Speaks.

Prof. Roxa Tyler, of Chicago, Vice-President Illinois Woman's Alliance, in speaking of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, says: "I suffered with a severe cold this winter which threatened to run into pneumonia. I tried different remedies but I seemed to grow worse and the medicine upset my stomach. A friend advised me to try Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and I found it was pleasant to take and relieved me at once. I am now entirely recovered, saved a doctor's bill, time and suffering, and I will never be without this valuable medicine again." For sale by H. H. Watkins.

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The Highest Grade Havana Cigar in the market  
E. F. THOMPSON, Kingman Agent.  
WILLARD BROS., San Francisco, Importers and Manufacturers.

#### Arizona & Utah Ry.

Time Table in Effect Dec. 27, 1900.

NORTH		SOUTH
9:00 a.m.	Kingman	3:30 p.m.
9:15 a.m.	McConico	3:10 p.m.
9:40 a.m.	Union	2:45 p.m.
10:05 a.m.	Mineral	2:25 p.m.
10:30 a.m.	Chloride	2:00 p.m.

#### STAGE CONNECTIONS.

WHITE HILLS.—Daily, except Sunday: distance 28 miles; fare 2.50.  
ELDHARO CANYON.—Monday, Wednesday and Friday: distance 51 miles; fare 54.  
RIOVILLO.—Monday and Friday: distance 66 miles; fare 68.  
ST. THOMAS AND OVERTON.—Monday and Friday: distance 83 and 96 miles; fare 7.50 and 88.

N. W. TARR, Superintendent.  
S. B. McCONICO,  
Vice President and General Manager.

If the coal strike continues Kingman will have a fuel famine. Besides being short on coal the town is short on flour and hay. Of course, flour will be of little use without fuel to cook it, therefore both articles will have to come in together.

Fred Pomeroy came down from Stockton Hill today. He reports the tunnel on which he is at work to be in porphyry and expects to reach the ledge within the next few feet. Considerable water has been struck in the tunnel.

Within a few weeks the MINER will make an extensive write up of the mines of the Wallapai and other districts of the county. That number of the paper will be worth preserving and sending to friend on the outside.

The firm of Bell & Morrison has switched quarters, Mr. Bell coming to Kingman and Mr. Morrison going to Chloride. The young men have made a great success since coming to Mohave county.

Harter, Thompson & Co. had eight tons of Lone Star ore worked at the Arizona Sampling Works this week. The ore is said to have been of a high grade.

Mr. Banker, of Illinois, a brother-in-law of L. J. Lassell, arrived in Kingman on the delayed train last night. He will visit here for some time.

J. D. Richardson, of Union Pass, was in Kingman this week on business appertaining to his mining interests in that section.

N. W. Tarr and wife are visiting with friends in Pasadena. They will be absent about two weeks.

Capt. I. C. Conkey, the genial Mineral Park postmaster, was in Kingman this week on business.

#### Spread Like Wildfire.

When things are "the best" they become "the best selling." Abraham Hare, a leading druggist, of Belleville, O., writes: "Electric Bitters are the best selling bitters I have handled in 20 years. You know why? Most diseases begin in disorders of stomach, liver, kidneys, bowels, blood and nerves. Electric Bitters tones up the stomach, regulates liver, kidneys and bowels, purifies the blood, strengthens the nerves, hence cures multitudes of maladies. It builds up the entire system. Puts new life and vigor into any weak, sickly, rundown man or woman. Price 50 cents. Sold by H. H. Watkins, druggist.

#### Dissolution of Co-Partnership.

Notice is hereby given that the co-partnership heretofore existing between James Rosborough and J. N. Cohenour, in the town of Kingman, under the firm name and style of Rosborough and Cohenour, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. N. Cohenour will continue the business and will collect all accounts due the firm and pay all bills.

JAMES ROSBOROUGH,  
J. N. COHENOUR.

Kingman Jan. 4, 1901.

#### Mine Warning Notice.

To all whom it may concern:  
Notice is hereby given that the Empire No. 2 mine, situated in Wallapai mining district, Mohave county, Arizona, is under lease to parties working the same, and is the property of the undersigned, and that neither the mine nor the owners thereof will be responsible for any labor or debt contracted, nor injuries sustained by any person or persons employed or working on said property; and that no lessee or employee is the agent of the owners for any purpose whatever, and that all operatives and laborers engage in such service at their own risk, and that no debt or claim of debt is valid against said mine or its owners.

G. W. BRECHER,  
E. F. THOMPSON.

Kingman, Nov. 22, 1900.

No one but the President of this company is authorized to contract debts in our name. Nor will we be responsible for any debts contracted by any one in our employ.

KINGMAN MER. CO.

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They protect the lungs from the cold weather. We have these in different styles, ranging in price from 75c to 38. The latter kind are chamolins lined and are made on the vest plan.

If your cough is bad try White Pine Cough Balsam. It is just the thing for a deep-seated cough.

H. H. WATKINS,

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